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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF

Administrative Action

GLEN S. POLLER, D.C. License No. MC 3830

CONSENT ORDER

TO PRACTICE CHIROPRACTIC IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Chiropractic Examiners upon the filing of a Provisional Order of Discipline on April 17, 2003. The parties stipulate to the following facts and conclusion of law.

## **FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. Respondent is a chiropractor in the State of New Jersey and has been a licensee at all times relevant hereto.

- 2. On October 15, 2002, Respondent pleaded guilty to the crime of Employing a Runner, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:21-22.1, in Superior Court in Hudson County, New Jersey. Specifically: Respondent admitted that between October 30, 2000 and February 15, 2001, in West New York, New Jersey, he paid a "runner" for the purpose of obtaining business for his chiropractic office.
- 3. The following sentence was ordered: Probation for two (2) years; 150 hours of community service; and a fine of \$1000.00.

## Conclusion of Law

The above conviction provides grounds for the suspension of Respondent's license to practice chiropractic in New Jersey pursuant to N.J.S.A 45:1-21(f) in that the crime of which Respondent was convicted is one of moral turpitude and/or relates adversely to the practice of chiropractic.

By letter dated May 28, 2003, with attachments, Respondent submitted information in mitigation of the sanctions proposed by the Board. The Board having reviewed the documents, finds good cause to enter this order, and that this order is in the public interest.

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS on this 
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 day of  $\frac{1}{2003}$ , ORDERED that:

1. Respondent's license to practice chiropractic shall be, and hereby is, suspended for a period of two (2) years beginning on October 1, 2003; except that one (1) year of said suspension shall be stayed and shall become a period of probation to follow the period of active suspension. Such stayed period of suspension shall be activated upon a showing of Respondent's non-

compliance with any of the terms and conditions set forth herein. In addition, Respondent shall not render chiropractic care to patients from the date of entry of this order until such time as his period of active suspension is terminated pursuant to paragraph 4 herein.

- 2. During the period of active suspension, Respondent shall not practice chiropractic and shall adhere to the attached directives. He shall successfully complete and pass the ProBE (Professional Problem Based Ethics) course offered by: The Ethics Group, 89 Summit Avenue, Suite 185, Summit, New Jersey 07901. Documentation of the full and successful completion of the ProBE course shall be provided to the Board.
- 3. Respondent is hereby assessed civil penalties, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-22(b), in the amount of \$5,000.00 for conduct with respect to the aforesaid conviction. Payment for the civil penalties shall be submitted no later than 21 days from the date upon which this order becomes final by certified check or money order made payable to the State of New Jersey, and shall be sent to: Kevin B. Earle, Executive Director, Board of Chiropractic Examiners at 124 Halsey Street, Sixth Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07101.
- 4. Prior to resuming active practice on probation in New Jersey, Respondent shall be required to appear before the Board (or a committee thereof) to demonstrate his fitness to resume practice. Any practice in this State prior to formal reinstatement of license on probation by the Board shall constitute grounds for a charge of unlicenced practice. In addition, the Board reserves the right to place restrictions on Respondent's practice should his license be reinstated.

5. Failure to comply with any provisions of this Order or remit any and all payments required by this Order will also result in the filing of a certificate of debt and may result in subsequent disciplinary proceedings for failure to comply with an Order of the Board.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

Many-Ellen Rada, D.C Board President

I have read and understand the within Consent Order and agree to be bound by its terms. Consent is hereby given to the Board to enter this Order.

Glenn S. Poller, D.C.

This order is hereby agreed to as to its form and entry.

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